



GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Pension – Dearness Relief to Pensioners– Revised - Orders – Issued.

FINANCE (PENSION-I) DEPARTMENT

G.O Ms. No. 391

Dated:15.11.2008.

Read the following:-

1. G.O (P) No.213 Finance (PC.I) Department dated 27.08.2005.
2. G.O (P) No.248 Finance (Pen.I) Department dated 04.10.2005.
3. G.O (P) No.338 Finance (Pen.I) Department dated 02.11.2005
4. G.O (P) No.38 Finance (Pen.I) Department dated 23.02.2007.
5. G.O (P) No.133 Finance (PC.I) Department dated 12.06.2007.
6. G.O (P) No.135 Finance (Pen.I) Department dated 14.6.2007.
7. G.O (P) No.255 Finance (PC.I) Department dated 17.10.2007.
8. G.O (P) No.256 Finance (Pen.I) Department dated 17.10.2007.
9. G.O (P) No.100 Finance (PC.I) Department dated 9.4.2008.
10. G.O (P) No.107 Finance (Pen..I) Department dated 11.4.2008.
11. G.O (P) No.372 Finance (PC.I) Department dated 13.11.2008.

ORDER:

Government hereby order the revision of rates of Dearness Relief sanctioned in the G.O. **10th** read above **from 35.796% to 42.39% from 01.07.2008** in respect of: -

- (i) those who retired from service after 1.7.2003 drawing pay in the Revised Pay Scales, 2005;
- (ii) those who retired prior to 1.7.2003 and whose pension was consolidated in the light of orders issued in the G.O. second read above; and
- (iii) those who retired prior to 1.1.1996 drawing UGC Pay scales and whose pension was ordered to be consolidated in the light of orders issued in the G.O. third read above.

2. Government further hereby order the revision of rates of Dearness Relief in respect of pensioners who retired after 1.1.1996 drawing UGC Pay Scales 1996 from **47% to 54%** with effect from **01.07.2008** since the Dearness Relief was regulated upto **1.1.2007 @ 35%** by merging 50% Dearness Relief with basic pension through G.O (P) No.183 Finance (Pen.I) Department dated 2.8.2007 based on the orders issued in G.O(P) No.173 Finance (PC.I) Department dated 23.7.2007.

3. Government also hereby order the revision of rates of Dearness Relief from **97 % to 104%** with effect from **01.07.2008** in respect of Judicial Officers/ who retired prior to 1.7.1996, drawing pension/ family pension under G.O.Ms.No.79, Law (LA&J SC.F) Department, dated 17.7.2004 and the Judicial Officers who retired after 1.7.1996, drawing Pension/ Family Pension under G.O.Ms.No.113, Law (LA&J SC.F) Department, dated 1.11.2004.

4. Government further also hereby order the revision of rates of Dearness Relief from **61.350% to 67.076%** with effect from **01.07.2008** to the Pensioners who are drawing their pension in Revised Pay Scales, 1999 and not consolidated in terms of the orders issued in the reference 2nd read above.

5. These orders are applicable to:

- (1) (a) All Government Pensioners in receipt of Service Pensions, Family Pensions under Revised Pension Rules, 1951, Andhra Pradesh Liberalised Pension Rules, 1961 and Andhra Pradesh Government Servants (Family Pension) Rules, 1964.
- (b) Teaching and Non-Teaching pensioners of Municipalities, Panchayat Raj Institutions and Aided Educational Institutions, in receipt of pensions under the Andhra Pradesh Liberalised Pension Rules, 1961 and Andhra Pradesh Government Servants (Family Pension) Rules, 1964.
- (c) Teaching and Non-Teaching staff in Aided Educational Institutions in receipt of pensions under the Contributory Provident Fund-cum-Pension and Gratuity Rules, 1961 and Andhra Pradesh Liberalised Pension Rules, 1961.
- (d) Those drawing family pensions under G.O.Ms.No.22, Finance & Planning (FW: Pen.I) Department, dated 16.1.1971, G.O.Ms.No.104, Finance & Planning (FW: Pen.I) Department, dated 13.4.1973 and G.O.Ms.No.25, Finance & Planning (FW: Pen.I) Department, dated 2.2.1974.
- (e) Pensioners in receipt of Compassionate Pension under the rules for Compassionate Pensions and Gratuities in the Hyderabad Civil Services Rules; and
- (f) Those in receipt of Pensions under the Wound and Extraordinary Pension Rules.
- (2) Jagir and Estate Pensioners and
- (3) Pensioners governed by Andhra Pradesh Revised Pension Rules, 1980.

6. These orders are not applicable to the financial assistance grantees and others who are not entitled to Dearness Relief.

7. Ready Reckoner showing the Dearness Relief payable to the State Pensioners in terms of these orders is annexed.

8. The amount of Dearness Relief shall be rounded off to the next rupee.

9. The arrears of the Revised Dearness Relief to Pensioners from 01.07.2008 to 31.10.2008 shall be paid along with the pension of November, 2008 payable in December 2008.

10. In the event of death of the pensioner after **01.07.2008** the arrears of Dearness Relief shall be paid to the legal heirs in lumpsum at a time duly following Treasury Procedure.

11. All the Treasury Officers/ Pension Payment Officers shall work out and make payments of the Dearness Relief on Pension sanctioned in this order without waiting for further authorization/ instructions from the Accountant General (A&E), Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad, in terms of the orders issued in the G.O.Ms.No.270, Finance & Planning (FW: PSC.I) Department, dated 7.10.1986.

12. The expenditure is allocable among the various States in accordance with provisions of Rule 24 of the incidence of pension rules in Appendix – III-B of the Andhra Pradesh Accounts Code, Volume-I.

13. The categories of employees who are not covered for payment through the Treasuries, the expenditure shall be debited to the Pension Funds of Zilla Parishads and Pension funds of the respective Municipal Councils in so far as the Non-Teaching, Non-Government Pensioners of the Municipalities are concerned and the relevant Head of Account of Government in so far as the teachers are concerned.

14. In respect of the Pensioners of the Universities the expenditure on account of the Dearness Relief sanctioned in paras **1 and 2** above shall be met from the Block Grants allotted to them.

15. The orders revising the rates of Dearness Relief in respect of those drawing A.P Revised Pay Scales, 1993 and whose pension has not been consolidated, drawing A.P. Revised UGC Pay Scales of 1986 and whose pension has not been consolidated including Judicial Officers drawing pension in 1993 pay scales will be issued separately.

16. The G.O is available on Internet and can be accessed at the address <http://www.ap.gov.in/goir>. and www.apfinance.gov.in.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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